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# The Wainwright Star

FOR THE ADVANCEMENT AND WELL-BEING OF THE WHOLE COMMUNITY

## Province-Wide Recruiting Tour Is Again Planned

Another province-wide "recruiting tour" will be undertaken by 12 recruiting missions commencing December 1, Major J. H. Galt, M.C., district recruiting officer, announced this morning.

The itinerary of the parties has now been released as shown by an advertisement in this issue.

Practically every town in Alberta will be visited during the campaign. One of the purposes of the drive is to contact men who were engaged in harvesting operations during the last drive and to recontact men who had expressed a willingness to join up when approached during the last drive and who have not yet reported for duty.

There are also a number of recruits throughout the Province who were rejected in earlier Medical Examinations and are now acceptable for enlistment due to a lowering of the previous standard in regard to slight eye and ear troubles. These men may now be re-examined with every chance of being accepted.

Following is the schedule of visits in this district: Dec. 1st at Viking, morning; and Irma, afternoon; December 2nd, Wainwright, morning and Edgerton, afternoon; December 3rd, Chauvin, all day; December 4th, Provost, all day; December 5th, Hughenden, all day. Intermediate points will be visited in accordance with the above schedule.

See Capt. E. W. Kelly at the Federal Building on Tuesday morning, next December 2nd. ENLIST NOW!

**BOARD OF TRADE MONTHLY MEETING**

The regular monthly meeting of the Wainwright Board of Trade will be a DINNER MEETING at the Wainwright Hotel on WEDNESDAY NEXT at SEVEN P.M. sharp.

All interested parties are required to be in attendance; there is important business to deal with.

By Order,  
L. Baker, Sec.

### Mr. & Mrs. E. Murray Lose Baby Son

There passed away on Friday last, the seven weeks baby son (David Earl) of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray of Heath.

The funeral was held on Monday last, when Rev. A. D. Richards of Wainwright United Church conducted the service; interment being made in the local cemetery. McLeod's parlors were in charge of arrangements.

Quite a big fleet of trucks are now busy hauling the gravel for the first dressing of the completed portion of the highway extension. It is hoped to have this work completed before snowfall.



This map shows the percentage and the distribution of "mixtures" which were found in the wheat crops in the Prairie Provinces, all according to the growing tests made by "The Crop Testing Plan" (sponsored by the Searle and Home Elevator Companies and by the Midland & Pacific Grain Corporation) during the past summer.

13,420 samples were finally analyzed and classified by competent plant breeders and cereals, 31.2 per cent of the samples tested—each sample representing a field of wheat—were found to consist of mixtures of varieties. This compared with 14.8 per cent of similar mixtures found last year and with 58.7 per cent found in 1931, ten years ago. It will be observed therefore that a substantial improvement has taken place since the year 1931, but, as the map reveals, there are still large areas where there are high percentages of mixtures in the wheat crops, and so of course, where there is still considerable room for improvement.

## Vale Will Trap Beaver Under Govt. Supervision

A regular meeting of the Municipal District of Vale, No. 362, was held in the municipal office on Saturday, November 16th, 1941. Councilors Nelson, Currier and Castle were in attendance with Reeve Jerram presiding.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that minutes of the regular meeting held on October 18th, be adopted as read.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that the report of Reeve Jerram in connection with the proposed trapping of beavers and arrangements made with Government officials pertaining to same, be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Nelson—that application for Old Age Pension submitted by Henry Woodcock, be recommended by Council in the full amount.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that the communication received from Hon. J. G. Gardiner, in connection with the reservation of Park way meadows for community use, be received and filed for further reference.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Nelson—that action of Secretary taken in connection with the accident sustained by Margalita Roberts be approved by Coun. Moved by Coun. Nelson—that the Secretary again take up with Dr. Bow, the matter of placing Dolly Harbark in the Red Deer institution.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Jerram—that the Secretary communicate directly with the minister to procure information relative to any liability of the District relative to telephone company changes due to new road construction.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that the Supervisor, Prairie Farm Assistance Act, be advised that the cheque submitted for the taking of applications under this policy is incorrect and that he also be notified that all monies paid by the Government under this act be made payable to the Secretary.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that the communication received from Mr. Kegn Tory requesting the several Councils of this and adjacent municipalities, to arrange a conference for the purpose of discussing Federal Government Farm Policy, be received and that he be advised that Council of this municipal district considers that this conference would better be called through agricultural or farmer organizations.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that the Secretary be instructed to open up an account in the Provincial Treasury Branch at Wainwright and deposit therein the \$800.00 Provincial Grant made on the Wainwright-Czar road.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Jerram—that the Secretary advise the Superintendent of the Mothers' Allowance Branch that should any further grant be made to Mrs. Klippert, they will strongly protest same.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that Coun. Currier and Thos. Melloy be appointed appraisers for SE 4-1-6 W4th.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Nelson—that Coun. cillors canvass their several divisions relative to possible sale of seed oats at a cash car-load price of 55 cents.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that report of Weed Inspector Scott of Div. 1, be approved by Council.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that the Secretary advise the Browning U.F.W.A. that the matter of the erection of danger signs at school should be referred to the School Division.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Nelson—that copies of By-Law No. 57 be posted by Councilors as arranged.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that the following correspondence be filed: Netherlands Investment Company, re foreclosures; Messrs. A. and H. Lee re taxes; National Salvage Campaign re collection of salvage; and the Dept. of Municipal Affairs, re Local Rural Self-Government.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Nelson—that the Monthly Financial Statement, for month ending Oct. 31, as presented at this time, be ordered filed with the records of the District.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that accounts, in a total of \$351.57, be ordered paid.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that upset price on lands listed for sale on November 17th, be equivalent to assessed value plus improvements.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Castle—that Councilor Nelson continue to act as Deputy Reeve of this District for the ensuing six months.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Currier—that this meeting does now adjourn.—Carried.

## Former Local Girl Married in City

Wearing an afternoon frock of deep blue crepe, with navy blue hat and corsage of tallman roses, Miss Alice Stuart became the bride of Sgt. Hugh M. Russell, R.C.A.S.C. on Saturday last.

The marriage took place at the Edmonton home of the latter's brother, Mr. Russell. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart, of Wainwright, and Sgt. Russell is the son of Mrs. B. Russell, of Edmonton, and the grandson of the late Chief Justice Benjamin Russell, of Nova Scotia.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T. Scragg, of Wesley United Church.

Attending the bridal couple were Mr. and Mrs. A. Lasseil of Edmonton.

The mother of the bride was attended in a gown of Rosewood crepe, with a rose corsage, while Mrs. Russell wore blue triple sheer with a corsage of Ophelia roses.

The wedding reception at the home of Mrs. W. B. Russell saw some 20 guests in attendance. The happy couple are spending a short honeymoon before returning home.

## Town Council Holds A Routine Meeting

Following is a record of the proceedings of the council of the Town of Wainwright at its regular meeting in the council chamber on Tuesday, November 19th.

The members of council present at this meeting were Mayor Middleman and Councilors Robinson, Cork, Lismore, Alderman and Billing.

The recorded proceedings of the regular meeting of Council on November 4th, 1941 were read and, on motion by Councillor Alderman, were adopted and confirmed as written.

Written complaint was received relative to the existing nuisance on Sixth Avenue West, due to the overflow of the septic tank located on Lot 6 in Block 27, Plan 6445 V, on the said avenue, and, on motion by Councillor Alderman, the secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify the owner of the property from which the nuisance originates that this matter must be rectified at once.

A list of fire equipment for sale by the City of Edmonton was presented to council and, on motion by Councillor Cork, this list was ordered filed for future reference.

Registered notice from the University Hospital of the admission of Mr. Charles Johnson to that hospital and, on motion by Councillor Alderman, this notice was ordered filed.

The General Superintendent and Chief Engineer of the Canadian Western National Gas, Light, Heat and Power Company, Limited, wrote pointing out reasons why the company would not care to share space in the building leased from the Town of Wainwright, and, on motion by Councillor Lismore, the Secretary was instructed to reply thereto, informing the company that the town has no desire to interfere with their arrangement and thanking them for their co-operation in this matter.

The following report was submitted to council by the Committee on Property and Assessment, viz: "That we have reviewed the list of properties to which the Town of Wainwright holds title; Properties to which the town was entitled to make application for title in former years but which was deferred; and Properties

## MASS CONFERENCE OF FARMERS

A mass Conference of Farmers of Hill Edge, Battle River, Vale, Trinity Bear and Ribstone will be held on SATURDAY NEXT (Nov. 29) in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Wainwright, at 2:00 p.m. sharp.

## Local Playhouse Has Sweepstakes Comedy

In the RKO comedy feature "Lucky Partners" which will show at the local playhouse on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, Ronald Colman in the pink and Ginger Rogers surpassing herself in the field of humor supply 95 minutes of comedy deriving from a Sacha Guitry play about a French aristocrat without sacrifice of subtlety or point.

The screen play is by Allan Scott, John Van Druten and culminates in a court room sequence packed with surprises.

Colman plays a noted artist hiding out from his public who meets a girl addicted to sweepstakes drawings, shares a ticket with her on her lunch, first extracting her promise, and that, of her sweetheart, that in case they win she will accompany him on a trip, brother-and-sister fashion, before marrying her fiancé. The sweetheart finds himself unable to credit the innocence of their excursion and pursues them to Niagara Falls, where developments disclose to the artist and the girl that they are in love. But it all comes out as it should in the finale with no moral codes violated.

## Airgraph Service Now in Operation

Designed to provide a speedy means of communication for persons in this country writing to the armed forces in Great Britain, the use of airgraph went into effect across Canada on November 16th, according to an announcement received by the local postal authorities from Hon. William P. Mulock, K.C., postmaster-general for Canada.

In order to minimize space in sending as well as increase speed the airgraph makes use of the trans-Canada air mail service and photography at the Toronto headquarters. These airgraph messages will be photographed on micro-film at such a reduction that the photographic images of the letters will occupy about one 250th of the original space and about one 100th of the weight.

Airgraph service will not be available to those wishing to write civilians. Forms and further information can now be obtained at all post offices.

## Post Nuptial Shower For Heath Couple

In honor of their recent marriage, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Girard Touchette was the scene of an enjoyable surprise party and shower on Wednesday evening last.

Friends and neighbors of the community gathered and after being entertained by contests, presented the newly-married couple with a decorated basket filled with gifts.

After the gifts, which were both beautiful and useful, were opened and displayed, Mr. and Mrs. Touchette heartily thanked everyone for them, and also for the congratulations and good wishes for the future which they conveyed.

The ladies present brought the happy evening to a close by serving a delicious luncheon.

## Remains of R. L. Carey are Laid to Rest

On Friday last the remains of the late Richard L. Carey, of Heath, whose passing away was recorded in our last issue, were interred in the family plot in Wainwright cemetery, following funeral services in the Wainwright United Church.

The pastor, Rev. A. D. Richard, conducted the service, during which favorite hymns of the deceased were sung in by a large number of sympathizers and friends, and a sincere message of condolence was voiced by the preacher, who was assisted by Rev. J. D. Wollast of Viking.

In addition to the widow, two sons and one daughter, four brothers and one sister are left to mourn.

Messrs. T. McAfee, S. J. McLean, W. Gilbert, W. Avison, N. McTurk and N. James, acted as pall-bearers and arrangements were carried out by McLeod's funeral parlors.

## CARD OF THANKS

The Family of the late Mr. R. L. Carey wish to express their heartfelt thanks to all their kind neighbors, and to the friends of Wainwright and District, for expressions of sympathy and tributes of respect in the passing of a loving husband and father.

MRS. R. L. CAREY.  
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Mr. Stan Rudd was in town for a short leave from his R.C.A.F. duties

## CANADA AT WAR

No. 3—DOMINION'S GROWING SHELL PRODUCTION

The Dominion Arsenal

In Quebec Province are many plants where ammunition and shells are being produced. The mother of them all however, is the Dominion Arsenal.

Situated in the heart of Old Canada is a fine old stone building, dating back to the eighteenth century. The walls are five feet thick, and from this building, the defenders of New France took their stand against the enemy. For the past thirty years or more this same building has been used in the defense of Canada, but instead of being the shelter from which guns are fired, it has become one center in which ammunition for the Canadian Army is made.

During the last war, this arsenal employed five to six hundred men and women. Today, it is producing in 24 hours, more ammunition than in a whole month during the last war. More than a score of large buildings comprise the three main plants. One of these is situated in the country 15 miles from the city, and a special train makes a round trip three times a day carrying 1,500 men and women to work on their respective shifts.

The Dominion Arsenal is considered the finest plant of its type on the North American continent. Not only is it equipped with the very latest in machines and tools, but the safety devices, and working conditions are the best possible.

Cartridge cases and bullets are produced from the raw material. The men attending the great crucibles have to wear shoes with wooden soles an inch thick to protect their feet from the heat. The metal for shell cases is poured into moulds, and when cooled is drawn out until it is just the fraction of an inch in thickness and nearly forty feet in length. The long spring-like coil of brass is then fed into a punching machine, from which little like cups are punched out. These are the beginning of cartridge cases. They pass through forty operations until the completed cases are produced.

After the cartridge cases are completed, they are passed on to another plant where the propellant is put in, the cap fitted, and the metal bullets clamped into place. This plant where the high explosives are handled, is one of extraordinary quietness, and cleanliness. There is no hustle or bustle here. Everybody wears special rubber shoes, and when speaking about the building, every now and again, one touches a metal plate set in the wall to ground himself so that there will be no static generated.

Situated close to this plant is the proving ground. Here it is that guns made in Canada, using shells the size of a half inch and over, are proved. Not only are Canadian guns proved here, but guns from the American arsenals as well. The proving ground is operated jointly by the United Kingdom and the Canadian Governments. A certain number of shells from each batch made are also tested during the proving of the guns.

Shells are fired from a platform into a sandbank. The shell passes through frames strung with fine copper wire electrically connected with very sensitive instruments, situated at some distance from the proving grounds. These instruments record to the split second, the time when the shell explodes.

Shells by the thousands are streaming out of munitions plants in Canada. The workmen shown in this photo are checking Howitzer shells preparatory to shipment.



## Local V. V. R's Give Picture Show

Quite a nice audience assembled at the invitation of the local V.V.R.'s in the I.O.O.F. hall last week to witness an unique showing of moving pictures which included among other films recently taken at the above "Blitzkrieg of Pagan Bridge," recently staged by that organization. A silver collection was taken for charitable purposes.

Dr. C. Greenberg, of Irma, who had taken all the films, gave descriptions of the various showings, and all enjoyed the evening.

During intermissions, Mrs. W. Clark and Mr. Alec Adams added to the pleasure with musical numbers, and Capt. Geo. Glass was song leader for some community singing.

Capt. F. Miller, R.C.M.P., made an efficient chairman.

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Mrs. L. Orby, of Heath, was a visitor to Edmonton last week for a couple of days.



## NOTES

The Executive of the local branch of the Red Cross will hold their monthly meeting on Monday, December 1st, at 8:30 p.m., in the work room.

The Red Cross Cook Book is expected off the press this week and will be on sale at the Red Cross Work Room on Saturday. Get your books early and save disappointment. Buy one for your own use, and send them as Christmas presents. They are both patriotic and useful, and they solve the problem of what to give to discriminating homemakers for Christmas.

We acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of the following:

Felt baby shoes made and donated by Patriotic Service League.

Stitching begun, from Mrs. H. Walker.

Quilt from War Services League.

Four quilts from Women's Institute.

Amount taken at Schock Sale, \$18.15.

-H. M. W.





## Britain Acquires New Scale of Values with War

By CHARLES K. WEBSTER

(Professor Charles K. Webster became Director of the British Library of Information in August, 1941. This article is part of a talk he gave shortly after his arrival from Britain.)

The transformation of human activities from peace to war cannot be accomplished in a few weeks or even months. It is not industry alone that must be re-tooled. The whole habits of a people must be transformed. A new scale of values must be set up. Family and social life must be radically altered.

In a democracy men and women must be made to see for themselves the necessity of sacrifice. Governments can inform, lead and direct the people, add the steel and the heat of the people, and when necessary and when necessary, exercise compulsion on individuals and small minorities. But the power must come from the people themselves. In Britain and the Dominions that power has now been obtained by democratic processes and the whole life of the people has been absorbed in the struggle, which it is recognised by all is one of life or death.

Human nature, of course, remains. Party and personal selfishness still exists. Rivalry as to means is often as acute as in peace time. But it is true that all these are conditioned by the overriding necessity of the emergency and that the outlook of practically every man, woman and child has been changed by the war. Private life has become comparatively unimportant. Millions have lost or given up their homes. Millions have opened their homes to others. No people attached more importance to the privacy of the home than the British. They liked to live in little houses with a garden and a wall or hedge, and even in the overcrowded towns the effort to maintain personal privacy was almost universal. Now, however, it has become in-

convenient to live in the old way. The bombing of cities has caused the destruction of thousands of homes. The mansions in the most beautiful Georgian squares in London in Bloomsbury where I used to live is now a mass of tangled ironwork and rubble. I have been lucky enough to save my books, but only by placing them where I could not use them for the duration of the war. They may perhaps survive, but thousands of others have lost everything which they valued as I value my books.

There has been a mixture of classes which may have profound effects on the national outlook. Sociologists, psychologists and others are making scientific surveys of these phenomena and trying to estimate their results. I can only say that I think that they are and will be in increasing measure of great importance. Changes in temperature are conveyed in society, as in liquids, more rapidly by convection than by conduction. The most profound effects are produced by transference of population from one place to another. Others in safer areas have had to subject themselves to the invasion of those who have lost their homes.

The new "mixing up" that has occurred in Britain is bound to affect the future outlook of all. Now that it has become more convenient to eat and live in public to a far greater degree than before the war the habits of the people will be permanently affected. There is, in fact, a new spirit of community.

### LUXURIES OUT FOR DURATION

I have stressed this aspect of total defence because it goes so deep into the private life of the individual, but every other activity is similarly affected. More than fifty per cent of the production of Britain is now devoted directly to war. Industry and labor have had to be transformed accordingly. It necessarily involves, when carried to the degree to which it has now reached in Britain, the abandonment of nearly all those things which we call luxuries and the distribution by rationing or other methods of the necessities of life.

It means also that every business must be restricted to the needs of the moment, and, if necessary, closed altogether and its machines and workers moved elsewhere. Taxation must be increased to such an extent that no one has the means to divert production to his own personal ends even if he wished to do so.

All this has been accomplished, not without friction and protest, but on the whole with the willing acquiescence of those most drastically affected. Both capital and labor have abandoned for the duration of the war vested interests which it was thought they would never give up. Profits hardly exist, in immense contrast to the fortunes made in the last war. Labor has been diluted and re-diluted, all its Trade Union privileges being sacrificed to the overriding necessity of increasing production and the necessity of increasing productivity. An expendable income of \$12,000 a year is practically the maximum in Britain today. Taxation and the rise of prices have halved the real income of people like myself. The real income of the working classes on the other hand has in many cases been increased. There is thus a far greater equality of real income than there has ever been in Britain before.

### PROBLEM OF FULL EFFORT

There is also a far greater equality of time effort. A great part of the extra time of the middle classes was directed to leisure pursuits and holidays. Now leisure in the old sense has almost ceased to exist. Holidays have been cut down to such a minimum as will enable the work to go on indefinitely. It would have been impossible to continue the immense effort made after Dunkirk, when millions of workers had a 7-day week for a long period of time. But the hours of work are the maximum in each industry that a man or woman can endure for years and remain able to give full effort.

Some recreation is also essential to keep the mental life of the population in a healthy state. People went to cinemas even while an air raid was in progress. Blackout and travel difficulties were not allowed to suspend all activities. Concerts and ballets took place in lunch hours. Travelling shows went the round of the camps.



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All this was rationed amusement. It was recognised that leisure as such has disappeared.

Moreover, in modern war nearly all civilians have not one job, but two. They have their ordinary job in factory or office but also another job as part of the defense forces. They are trained as part time soldiers in the Home Guard, now amounting to more than 1,500,000, an all-important part of defense in a country which may be attacked at many different points by air-borne troops. Or, they take part in the civil defense as part-time A.R.P. wardens, fire fighters, roof watchers and the like. Such service is now compulsory on men in areas liable to bombing, but it was for a long period carried out by multitudes of volunteers.

### THE WINTER STRAIN

It is a service in which old and young can take part and it has given a sense of participation in the war effort to elderly people such as few of their received in the last war. But it is, of course, an added strain especially during the winter months. And it has its dangers just as much as actual warfare between nations and forces. Two of my friends, both distinguished civil servants, were killed in London raids, not in their offices or homes, but out on the streets in their steel helmets taking their part as their clerks and typists were also doing in the civil defense of London during air raids.

Now these processes are inevitable in any society that wishes to preserve itself in modern war. An interesting and important aspect of the British effort is that it has been accomplished under democratic institutions which, though they have had to be adapted to stress of war, have remained unimpaired in their main functions. Government is still responsible to the House of Commons, and though the physical seat of the House has been more or less destroyed, its functions have been just as well carried on in a new Chamber. It is true, of course, that no alternative Government is now possible in Britain. But His Majesty's Opposition still exists and exercises its influence on the course of events. And, by the side of Parliament, stands the Free Press which, so far as opinion is concerned, is still unencumbered.



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## Bank Serves Edgerton District 30 Years

On Friday the Edgerton office of the Bank of Montreal is observing the 30th anniversary of its establishment. This branch of Canada's oldest bank, which opened on November 28th, 1911, was the first and only bank to be established at that point, and the maintenance of its service throughout the years has proved of great benefit to the people of the whole district.

At the time the branch was opened, Edgerton was little more than a scattered settlement in the midst of a newly settled district. Its population was approximately 50, and the village consisted of two elevators, a general store and a handful of dwellings. The bank's first premises were in keeping with the pioneering conditions of its surroundings, and consisted of a lean-to, attached to a frame building, occupied by Milne Brothers, lumber dealers and elevator operators. The equipment was somewhat primitive, "consisting in the front part of the office of rough pine counters and desks, while the manager's office at the rear was furnished with a kitchen table, a three-legged stool and a box stove. The office did not boast a safe, so that, as a precaution, the manager usually carried most of the surplus cash around in his hip-pocket. At night the cash was placed in Milne Brothers' safe next door. The staff consisted of two, R. S. Hinton, the manager, who is now attached to the bank's Head Office in Montreal, and A. C. Pike, who is now in Vancouver.

This, then, was the humble beginning of the bank's association with Edgerton. With the steady development of the district, the bank's business soon grew to a point where larger and more permanent premises became necessary. Accordingly, two years later, the bank erected its own two-storey frame building across

the street. This building is now occupied by the Edgerton Pharmacy. By February, 1918, continued growth of business necessitated a further move, so the bank built a larger, better-equipped and more permanent office at the corner of Second Avenue and Main Street, and this office has proved adequate for the bank's needs up to the present time.

Although Edgerton has not grown to any very large extent in later years, it has nevertheless achieved a measure of stability and quiet prosperity. With a return to more favourable crop conditions and with the increasing emphasis being placed on cattle raising and mixed farming, the Edgerton district should look forward to a more prosperous future.

Through good years and bad, the bank has operated to the benefit of the community at large, serving at all times as a safe depository for surplus funds, financing the wheat crop, cashing grain tickets, and helping many a farmer over difficult periods.

During the 30 years of its establishment, the many men who have managed the Edgerton office have all taken a keen interest in the affairs and social life of the community. These men, by reason of their position, have figured prominently in all local activities and have given generously of their time, labour and advice on all matters affecting the locality.

### LESSONS FROM ALBERTA FARMING IN 1941

A review of 1941 farming operations show some valuable features relative to the business of farming. In general, the farmer who is practicing diversified farming is in a more fortunate financial position than the man who is a specialized grain grow-

er. Prices of livestock, as compared with grain, have been good and farmers have been able to grow and fatten cattle, sheep and hogs at a profit. The farmer operating a straight grain farm has had a rather bad year. The relatively low price of wheat, the wheat marketing limitations and restrictions and an unusually unfavourable harvesting season have tended to place the wheat grower in the worst position he has been in for years. Even the farmer who produced coarse grains found it difficult to make both ends meet for the reason that he has found difficulty getting his crop threshed and in the bin, say G. E. DeLong, Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, Alberta.

Anticipated shortage of harvest labour influenced many farmers in making up their minds concerning the purchase of a combine, and some are now sorry they did so. Crops that were ready to straight combine before the rainy season started in late August were fine. Unfortunately most of the combined crop lay in the swath for several weeks and weathering and sprouting seriously damaged the unthreshed crop. Serious losses also in standing crop left for combine. In some cases losses due to shattering amounted to 50 per cent and a lowering of 3 to 4 grades occurred. As a result there will likely be a definite swing back to the binder in 1942.

Special cash crops, such as flax, clover seed and seed peas proved very profitable. These crops, along with grain seed, are attaining increasing importance as farm crops throughout central and northern Alberta.

The existing price of coarse grain is high in comparison with the prevailing price of wheat. The per cent of low priced feed wheat is relatively high and the price will be low in comparison with coarse grain and live-

stock. Undoubtedly large quantities of the current wheat crop will be fed to livestock.

The lessons taught by 1941 all emphasize the importance and advisability of a diversified type of agriculture for Central Alberta. Farmers who have their own vegetables, fruit, meat and cereals have a good living even when adverse climatic conditions prevail, and at the same time, usually have sufficient funds to meet current operating expenses.

## World of Wheat

H. G. L. Strange,  
Director, Research Department,  
Searle Grain Company, Ltd.

An International Wheat Conference now meeting hopes to divide up the World's wheat trade during this war and after the war, and to allocate certain quotas to export countries.

For my own part I do not believe that the best interests of Canadian wheat growers would be served by having their quality wheat placed on an equal basis with the lower quality produced by other countries.

In any event, however, even if quotas are set, the high quality in Canadian wheat in itself alone should warrant a much higher quota from this country than from others.

Certainly it seems then that from any point of view the higher quality of Canadian wheat should not only be maintained by our farmers, but if possible improved.

Farmer's therefore, who are in doubt about the quality of their crops should find out the variety best suited for their district, and then should secure a few bushels of the very best Registered or Certified seed, and sow these carefully on a few of their cleanest acres of summerfallow. This will then provide seed for a larger acreage the next year. If every farmer would do this simple and inexpensive thing the quality of Canadian wheat would soon go up with a bound.

Following factors have tended to raise price:— Second official estimate of Canada's 1941 wheat crop is 302.6 million bushels. Down 3.8 million from September estimate and about half of 1940 crop (Prairie Provinces alone 262 million). Corn production in Indo-China in 1941 is considerably below normal—Argentine wheat crop prospects are below normal owing to recurrent frosts and dry weather.

Following factors have tended to lower price:— Latest official estimates place the Australian wheat crop at 166 million bushels compared with 92 million in 1940—U.S. corn production in 1941 has been officially estimated at 2,675 million bushels; up 368 million from the 10 year average.— Political tension in the Orient continues to disturb prospects of Pacific Coast exports.



The Australian Imperial Force, since arrival in Malaya, have concentrated on learning to operate and fight in Malayan jungle and rubber country. The troops, many of them from the Australian "bush", find that slashing their way through jungle as soldiers is little different from hacking down the bush as farmers back home. A.I.F. men are shown advancing through Pandanus palm jungle.

## You Should Save Stamps!



By BETTY BARCLAY

Would you like to start a hobby that you can keep up as long as you live? Then start saving foreign stamps. You'll get a real kick out of it. I collected stamps over forty years ago, and I still love to go through a heaping pile from Europe, Australia and South America and hunt for those that look better than the others.

Stamp collecting is the cleanest and most fascinating hobby you could think of. Buy a few starters, get your friends to do the same. Begin trading duplicates—and you'll be surprised at how easy it is to get one hundred, five hundred or a thousand absolutely different stamps.

Here is an offer for real beginners. Send me a stamped envelope addressed to yourself, and ten cents, and I'll mail you a handful of foreign stamps—about one hundred. This offer is not for collectors as they would probably have most of these stamps. It's just for beginners who want "starters" for themselves and "traders" for their friends who are interested.

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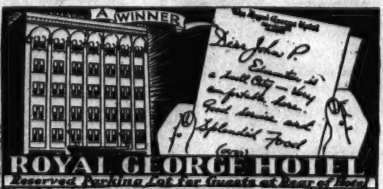
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No. 2—THE FARMERS'  
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### What do food growers require?

Who can speak for farm people?  
Food growers require a national  
agricultural policy that will:

1. Recognize the fundamental nature of food and land and farm people, and the importance of agriculture in our national economy.
  2. Establish a fair balance between agriculture, labor and industry.
  3. Provide a systematic marketing program designed to feed our markets both at home and abroad in an orderly and efficient manner.
  4. Develop a production program shaped according to the needs of a marketing program, and designed to give our farmers guidance which will enable them to plan their farm program at least two years in advance.
  5. Recognize the principle of a two-price policy. This means that prices of farm commodities in the domestic market must bear a proper relationship to cost of production and cost of living in Canada, even though it may be necessary for our exportable farm products to go to the world market at a lower price.
- Thus speaks the authoritative, non-political voice of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, which includes a great majority of all farm organizations in Canada with an affiliated membership of 350,000, representing one-half of Canada's farm homes.
- What do food growers require? They require Canada to make up its mind about what it expects of its basic industry and, having made up its mind, to make it possible for farm people to produce what Canada needs for home consumption, for British and allied aid, and for foreign trade.
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power, yet those now employed will meet only about 90 per cent of the need that is fast approaching. The most industrial reinforcements must come mainly from the older men, from the women and from youngsters under military age or physically incapacitated for military purposes. The production program envisages the employment of most of the single women and about one in every ten of the married women.

And Mr. Mackenzie King could, if he had wished, point to one outstanding demonstration of Canadian patriotism. In the last month not one worker in Canada's immense war industries has downed tools in a strike, despite rising prices and a ceiling on wages which forbids any employer of more than fifty persons to raise his wage scale without the consent of the Government. —New York Times.

## WHITE CLOUD

Mr. Charley Beasley had the misfortune to fall from a barn he was working on, sustaining a severe shaking up.

Mrs. Cambridge has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. Tondou.

Mrs. H. Myers from Ponoka, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Babb.

Why not use a piece of rope to tie your suit cases up—then they won't be strung all along the road!

Some from the district went skating on the river Sunday.

Mr. Orville Babb returned to Turner Valley on Tuesday.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE ESTATE OF ARCHIE MCCLUNEY, late of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Archie McCluneY, deceased, who died on the 10th day of June, A.D. 1941, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator, at Wainwright, Alberta, by the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1942, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims; and after that date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the Estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which Notice has been filed, or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of November, A.D. 1941.

M. G. CARDELL,  
Wainwright, Alberta.

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CANADA'S PART  
In his conversations with President Roosevelt at Hyde Park the Canadian Prime Minister could very appropriately, and doubtless did, lay before the President impressive details of his country's all-out war effort. "It has been no mean accomplishment. In fact, looked at against the background of the Dominion's limited population, peacetime preoccupation with anything but armament and previous scant development of vast natural resources, the achievement is due to the little appreciated miracles of this war. There is good reason for the statement that the American people do not realize the full extent of Canadian sacrifices.

Out of every dollar earned by a Canadian at the present time more than 60 cents goes to Government. Of that 60 cents 43 are expended in the war effort, 25 cents going directly to Canada's own war expenses and the remaining 18 to pay for the supplies furnished to Great Britain by her loyal sister Dominion. The 17 cents left are used in necessary Government expenses. Aside from her huge exports to Canada, Britain is unable to repay a cent of the Dominion's heavy contribution in materials. It is a debt that may never be repaid. As to Canada's raises to issue. She sits unquestioningly for requests made of her. She even asks, from time to time, what more she can do.

Canada has its own expenses of government. She has reduced non-essential civilian production. Bacon is rationed, cheese controlled for British consumption, aluminum for civilian use reduced to 2 per cent of normal. Every metal in Canada except lead is in fact now rationed, as Canadian war industries roll into full production.

The war industries and the armed forces have almost dried up the available sources of Canadian man-

## WORLD'S WEEK

BY HAROLD L. WEIR

Associate Editor of the "Edmonton Bulletin" and author of the daily column "From the News."

Frontline is already causing some casualties among the Germans operating along the extreme northern sector of the Russian-German front.

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Prime Minister's statement at face value but point out that mere air parity with Germany would be far from sufficient to guarantee either the security of British possessions or assumption of the offensive.

"Vast responsibilities rest upon our air force," wrote Maj. Oliver Stewart, air correspondent of the London Observer. "Its strength must be distributed over half the world and must be used over both sea and land, whereas German air strength can be concentrated. Consequently, for air domination there must still be a gigantic industrial effort both here and in the United States."

This expert estimates that Britain entered the war with a first line strength of 3,000 planes—that is, 3,000 planes in squadron formation, not counting spares which, according to old standards, should number twice the first line strength. He says, furthermore, that the Royal Air Force is numerically stronger than ever before, including German planes. "Our first line strength may reach up to nearly 5,000 aircraft and must be much above 4,000."

No dependable figures were available for the Luftwaffe even before the Russian campaign, but it was estimated in February that it had 9,100 first line planes. "Nobody has any reasonable idea of German losses in Russia but they are thought to

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After being seriously ill for the past two years, Little Lee Martin Church, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Church passed away November 17, at the age of four years, although everything possible was done to aid recovery.

On Thursday evening last members of Adeline Rebekah Lodge celebrated the 15th anniversary of the organising of that lodge with a very enjoyable social evening and dancing.

EDGERTON

A really good crowd turned out to the Red Cross Concert last Wednesday, and it was a highly successful affair in every way. To date, we have not heard one single complaint about anything in connection with it, which is somewhat unusual. It would require too much space to quote the different items in detail, and it would be unfair to mention only a few, for all were so good. Let it be sufficient to say that each and every performer gave of their very best, to a highly appreciative audience, and that the needy organization will benefit by almost \$60.00.

We hope that Dr. and Mrs. Wallace heard "Doug" speaking from London on Tuesday of last week also, we hope with him, that it won't be long before he can sit down—at home—to that juicy steak he is so eagerly looking forward to.

Cliff Challenger arrived home last Friday on ten days' leave from the Air Force barracks at Bransford, Ont., and on Monday, he accompanied his parents to Calgary where they visited Kenneth, the youngest member of the family, who has been a patient in the Sanitorium at that point for some time.

If Friday's weather was a sample of what is to come, we don't much relish it, but if we can also anticipate the odd day as nice as Sunday, it will help matters considerably.

P. S. Pawsey was a business visitor to Edmonton during the first part of last week.

The local Red Cross members are justly proud of the fact that besides a long list of the required articles, no less than 50 quilts will have been made and despatched to H.Q. during the last year—ending early next month.

Rev. A. A. Court caught Monday morning's Flier from Wainwright for Edmonton. From there, he will proceed to several points north on Diocesan business.

**HELP CANADA'S  
SEAWARD  
DEFENCE**



Buy War Savings Certificates

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parnell with their two little ones left on Saturday last to reside in future at their old home in Quebec.

Mrs. B. Cummings of Edmonton has been the guest of Mrs. S. Bowern for the past week.

Mr. Roy Goodkey of Byemore, Alta. has rented the Herb Reeves farm north of town and is now in residence there with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boyd and family left by car on Tuesday for their new home in Vancouver.

GREENSHIELDS

One day last week Leo Cowan was here between trains for a visit with relatives, before going to Eastern Canada on R.C.A.F. duty.

Mrs. Robert Barnett is now in the U.S.A. visiting her daughters in Tacoma, Wash., and Portland, Ore.

During the week, Mr. Tom Paterson was a patient in the hospital. He has now been able to return home.

A number of friends from this district were present at the surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Girard Touchette last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Symes entertained their relatives and friends at a dance in the hall Friday evening.

Mr. Ivan Jackson was down from the city for the week-end with his parents.

Keep the date for the War Service League Card Party in Greenshields hall, Wednesday, December 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Vallau were visitors in the city during the week end. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Earle Murray on their sad bereavement.

The school children are on holiday this week due to the illness of Mrs. Treffry, whom we hope will soon be fully recovered.

LEATH

Sympathies are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray at the recent loss of their youngest child.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Davis have returned from a holiday in Edmonton and points west.

Skaters were seen on Clear Lake on Sunday. We wonder if they were aware of the danger of skating in places where the ice was only two days old.

A surprise party was held on Wednesday night for Mr. and Mrs. Girard Touchette.

J. Bartlett is busy installing a telephone at the farm of the J. Touchettes.

Sheepskin Flats

The Women's Welfare Club held their monthly meeting on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. Ed. Goddard.

Mrs. R. V. Templeton is spending a few days in town with Mrs. T. Torrance.

Mr. C. Mallard is a visitor at the home of Mr. D. Gardner.

PASSCHENDALE

The Sew and So Club held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Strauss on Thursday, November 20. During the afternoon 15 Christmas boxes were packed for soldiers who are training in camps in Canada, and previously three boxes had been sent to soldiers from this district now serving overseas. Old woollen rags are to be collected for the making of a wool blanket. After the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Strauss.

Bob Whitley has been accepted in the Air Force and will be leaving soon for his training.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray and Mr. and Mrs. W. Milton spent several days in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. Gordon Whitley has returned home after visiting friends in Edmonton for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Fenton and the school children are busy selling tickets for a raffle and are planning a card party to be held at the school on December 5th in aid of the Xmas Tree fund.

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## "CHERCHEZ LA FEMME"

By LESLIE HAMILTON

PART THREE  
Chapter 3—(Continued)

"So she checked in under the name of Miss Ahlers—did she?" McLoudry commented as he examined the hotel register a little later on, referring to the woman who had evidently had an appointment with Leroux.

"Probably an assumed name," the manager suggested.

"I'm not so sure," the officer pondered, wondering to himself if there was any significance in the fact that "Ahlers" was a German surname.

"She had a large suitcase and an overnight bag," the bell-captain—who had been making enquiries—reported at that moment.

"Any labels or shipping tags on them?"

"Not that anybody seems to remember."

"When did she check out?" was the Sergeant's next question.

"Two-thirty on Sunday morning," the manager looked up from a registration card, stamped with the time of departure.

"Two-thirty on Sunday morning," McLoudry picked up his ears. "Isn't that an unusual time for a woman travelling alone to check out of a hotel? What train could she get at that hour?"

"She didn't go by train," the bell-captain interrupted. "The boy who brought her baggage down tells me she drove away in a car, an American car. At least it had an American license."

"I don't suppose the alert young gentlemen paid any attention to the license number," the policeman remarked quickly, but not very hopefully.

"No. The boy just noticed it was an American car when he stuck the baggage in the back. It was a coupe—a Buick, I think he said."

"Thanks very much, captain," the Sergeant closed his memorandum book with a snap. "Now for room Number 20. Can I take a look around it at once—or is it occupied?"

"Fortunately, no," came the welcome answer. We have a reservation on it for a week, commencing tomorrow, so it hasn't been assigned for to-night."

"That's fine," McLoudry thanked him. "Let's go while the going is good."

"It's pretty much the same plan as Number 16, as you can see," the manager said when they were in the room, observing the policeman's methodical search of the furniture with intense interest.

"Ah! A shipping tag," the other

exclaimed triumphantly, his diligence rewarded as he emptied the top drawer of a dressing table. "The only question is—did it belong to the lady in the case—or has it been here for weeks and weeks?"

"That is rather hard to say," the manager confessed, admitting that the maids were sometimes pressed for time and might have overlooked it, in their previous cleaning of the room.

"Well, it's a lead, it's here. And coupled with the American car, it's worth considering," McLoudry placed the tag in between the pages of his notebook. "Hotel De Gaulle, New Orleans, eh? Perhaps," he continued his sardonic comments. "One never knows where these fine threads eventually lead until they're followed to the end, and I guess this is the end of my search here," he concluded, finishing his examination of the room and motioning to the manager that he was through.

"Very interesting, Sergeant," the white-haired gentleman in the office at Ottawa commented, after McLoudry had finished his report on his return to headquarters. "What are your theories in the matter—or have you formed any so early in the game?"

"I think the woman is mixed up in it," McLoudry replied. "I also think the whole thing was planned and carried out from across the border. Whether Leroux's death was premeditated, and the house party used as a convenient cover-up, or whether his death was an unforeseen complication, I don't know. Whether the woman ever stayed at the Hotel De Gaulle in New Orleans, I don't know either. But I am sure that we'll have to begin our search in the States, and I am sure that it's a woman we've got to find before we can get on track of the real parties responsible for the theft of Leroux's papers. As for that part of it, the theft was prearranged without a doubt, but where in the devil Leroux got in touch with the woman, or she with him, is a mystery. He was either the victim of clever and unscrupulous foreign agents, or else..."

"The Sergeant spread his hands as if to dismiss an unwelcome thought, "he was selling out, and his death was simply an accident."

"I'm afraid that sums up the situation pretty fairly," the officer's superior agreed. "However, there is only one way in which we shall unearth the truth, and that is by pursuing the case to the bitter end, even if it does bring to light some ugly facts. For the time being, we'll just suspend judgment on Leroux until we know the answer."

"It's going to be a hard case to crack, Mr. McLoudry ventured. "There's very little to go upon."

"I know," the other agreed. "That's why I'm going to wire Washington and ask them to assign one of their best operators to work with you on the case. Report to me in the morning for further instructions. Sergeant. In the meantime, hand over anything else you're working on to Inspector Jamieson, and prepare for a lengthy absence from the office."

"Very good, sir," McLoudry assented. "I'll report in the morning at ten."

Chapter 3—Washington Collaborator

It was raining in Washington a couple of days later when a tall, slim but well-built man of solitary carriage and appearance, walked through the barriers of the B. & O. terminus at the capital.

Hailing a taxi and giving the address of a leading hotel, the passenger—for it was Sergeant McLoudry on the first lap of the chase—settled back on the cushions of the cab and prepared to observe the city on his first visit, for although he had been in New York previously, the present trip was his initial introduction to Uncle Sam's headquarters.

Much like Ottawa, he thought to himself, lavender and old lace with plenty of dirt underneath, the politicians always see to it that, he smiled inwardly, recalling a definition of the diplomatic service rendered by an old friend several years before.

"Parlor - mannered international skullduggery," his friend had called it, and the Sergeant—in the light of later experience—was inclined to agree with him. Visible polish and savvy for the world to see, and lying, treacherous, double-crossing deceit behind the scenes.

And what a mess of potage it is! It didn't take the "Mountie" long to reach the person he was seeking. All doors opened quickly in a courteous welcome upon presentation of his credentials, until finally he found himself seated in the bright, airy and well-furnished office, and busily engaged in giving the man in charge a concise, first-hand report of the case and its developments up to date.

"I agree with you that it's going to be a hard case to solve, Sergeant," the other commented when McLoudry had finished his story. "Fortunately, however, the very operator I should select above all others to work with you on this case has just joined an important assignment. Just a moment," he pressed a switch and turned to a dictaphone connected to an inter-office loud-speaker system. "Send Miss Cameron into my office right away, will you, please?"

"Right away, sir," a girl's voice could be heard from the receiver.

Miss Cameron! McLoudry thought with a frown of annoyance. Holy smoke, have I got to work with a petticoat on this job? he wondered, only to look up with astonished surprise as a well-groomed, vivacious and intelligent-looking brunette entered the office and said, "You sent for me, sir?"

"Yes, I did, Miss Cameron," the assistant-director of one of the most important departments of the F.B.I. rose to his feet and introduced the tall, good-looking Canadian to the young lady.

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After checking in and getting a key to his room, McLoudry, the man from Ottawa sailed forth in accordance with his instructions to contact the director of counter-espionage of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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## Hints for the Household

## CRANBERRY RELISHES YOU'LL RELISH

One reason you'll relish these delightful fresh cranberry sauces and preserves, aside from their so-good taste, is that the tart red cranberry actually stimulates the appetite. It's the tang and color that makes for appetite appeal.

Relishes have a long history—in fact, the Greek philosopher Plato wrote about a relish of salt, olive and cheese.

Cranberry Orange Relish, dressed gaily in orange shells, is a newcomer, while Ten-Minute Cranberry Sauce is almost as old as our Country. Soon after the Pilgrim settlers learned of cranberries from the Indians, they devised this time-tested complement to all meats and steady partner to King Turkey.

Despite its definite personality, the cranberry is the least anti-social of all the berry fruits. It mixes happily with apples, lemons, spices and home-made. Here are some tasty recipes for cranberries, and:

Try the orange relish with pork or veal, the spiced Cranberries with lamb and serve the Cranberry Relish Mold with cold meats.

## Cranberry Orange Relish (No cooking)

1 pound (4 cups) fresh cranberries

2 cups sugar

2 oranges

Put cranberries through food chopper. Quarter whole oranges, remove seeds and put through chopper. Add sugar and mix well. Chill in refrigerator a few hours before serving. Makes one quart relish.

Ten Minute Cranberry Sauce

2 cups water

2 cups sugar

1 pound (4 cups) fresh cranberries

Bol sugar and water together 5 minutes. Add cranberries and boil without stirring until all the skins pop open (5 minutes is usually sufficient). Remove from fire and allow the sauce to remain in saucepan until cool. Makes 1 quart sauce.

For a Thinner Sauce  
Just bring sugar and water to a boil, then add cranberries and cook until they stop popping.

Spiced Cranberries

2½ cups sugar

¼ cup water

2 8-inch sticks cinnamon

1 teaspoon whole cloves

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## NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BORN—To Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Em-  
erson (nee Stella M. Murray) at  
Winnipeg, on November 10th, a  
girl, Joy Anna.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. Bishop,  
of Edmonton, at the Wainwright  
Municipal Hospital, on November  
20th, a boy.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper,  
at the Wainwright Municipal  
Hospital, on November 20th, twin  
girls.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Glass,  
at the Wainwright Municipal Hos-  
pital, on November 21st, a girl  
(Sandra Gail).

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Tem-  
pleton, of Gilt Edge, at the Wain-  
wright Municipal Hospital, on Nov-  
ember 23rd, a girl.

The meeting of the Old Timers As-  
sociation called for Saturday evening  
last has been postponed until next  
Saturday evening, when it is hoped  
a goodly crowd will attend at the  
Atlas Lumber Company office.

We are glad to learn that Mr. O.  
Hannah is progressing favorably now  
following his recent serious illness  
in hospital.

Have your Christmas Cards print-  
ed at the Star office. As it is practi-  
cally impossible to obtain your per-  
sonal cards as heretofore, owing to  
the war, we are specializing in im-  
printing cards with your name and  
address. Don't delay: the time is  
short and the price is reasonable.—  
The Star Office.

By the end of this week ALL retail  
stores are required by law to display  
the license sign of the War-Time  
Prices and Control Board.

Mrs. Watkins is entertaining a  
guest this week in the person of her  
mother from Oida.

Both Les, Hughes and Maurice  
Fahner left last week to join their  
air-force units in the east.

Mrs. F. Hagel and her daughter,  
Mrs. Hornberger, journeyed to Ed-  
monton last week end to attend the  
Russell-Stuart wedding there.

Mrs. Frank E. McLeod was away  
to the city for a few days last week  
end on business.

We understand that mumps is still  
somewhat prevalent throughout the  
district and keeping quite a number  
on the sick list.

Work is being done on the curling  
rink these days in preparation for  
the coming season's sport.

While Messrs. J. A. Touchette and  
J. A. Hamilton were not among the  
hog raisers invited to Ottawa at the  
instance of the Bacon Board, they  
received "one hundred per cent,  
grade A" for their last load of hogs  
shipped through local shipping as-  
sociation, returning them \$20.70 net  
for 207-lb. hogs, with a yield of 74 1/2  
per cent.

### COMING EVENTS

United Church Bazaar—Fancy  
work, afternoon tea and home cook-  
ing. Starts at 3:00 p.m. on Satur-  
day, December 6th, in the L.O.O.F.  
Hall.

FOR RENT

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW on 8th  
Avenue to rent; built-in cupboards;  
sink and soft water in kitchen;  
garage on lot.—Apply Atlas Lum-  
ber Co.

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and paying for this advt.

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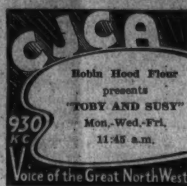
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AUTO JACK LOST ON HIGHWAY  
half mile from town. This is lost  
and somebody must have found it.  
Call at the Star Office for reward.  
19-11.



We are informed that Miss Audrey  
Smith was hostess at a gathering of  
her little friends last week end to  
celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Following his attendance at the  
convention of Alberta Association of  
Municipal Districts in Edmonton,  
Secretary Harold Taylor returned to  
his duties on Monday.

Mr. Alex Stevens was a tripper to  
the city on Sunday to visit Mr. Chas.  
Emslin, who is receiving specialist  
treatment for his eye injury suffered  
in the recent explosion.

Hon. Newton Wesley Rowell, former  
chief justice of Ontario and  
chairman of the Dominion-Provincial  
Relations commission died last week  
in Toronto at the age of 74 years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Washburn, ac-  
companied by Mrs. Richards and  
Mrs. Snyder, spent a few days in the  
city this week.

Mr. Frank Dixon is a patient at  
the local hospital these days suffering  
from an attack of pneumonia.

Misses Joan Taylor and Mary Mc-  
Afee spent a few days in the city  
last week end.

We learn that arrangements are  
being completed for the official open-  
ing of the new St. Thomas (Ang.)  
church hall in town. Bishop Barfoot,  
of Edmonton, is to officiate.

Mr. Fred Atwell has now moved  
into town, bringing his family and  
effects in on Thursday last.

This week's meeting of the local  
War Service League is to be held at  
the home of Mrs. O. Michon on Fri-  
day afternoon next. Mrs. O. Croteau  
will be hostess.

Confirmation services are to be  
held at St. Thomas (Ang.) church  
on Saturday next, when Bishop Bar-  
foot, of Edmonton, will perform the  
ceremony of the laying on of hands.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Ted  
Moore is suffering from an injured  
foot, which occurred when an oxygen  
tank dropped on the member.

CONFIRMATION OF

### CANADA AT WAR

(Continued from Page 1)

the shell passes through the screens,  
and as the time is recorded from each  
frame, it then an easy matter  
to work out the velocity.

Shells of all types and sizes are  
being made in Canada in ever in-  
creasing numbers in factories in both  
the East and West. The inspection  
departments of some of these fac-  
tories remind one of huge wood yards.  
Hundreds of thousands of these shells  
are produced daily. Tall thin ones  
to feed the anti-aircraft guns, short  
stubby fat ones for field guns, pon-  
derous looking shells for the guns of  
the British Navy.

Most of the plants had to swing  
over from domestic production of one  
kind or another. In some cases the  
existing machinery and tools were  
adaptable to the making of shells.  
In many cases, however, extensions  
had to be built and new machine tools  
installed before production could com-  
mence. Now the Canadian shell in-  
dustry is getting into its full stride,  
type of anti-aircraft gun now being  
made in this country can fire shells  
at the rate of 160 per minute, we  
begin to realize the tremendous num-  
ber of shells necessary to feed all of

the guns used by our army, air-force  
and navy.

A lot of work goes into the making  
of a shell. Exactness work it is, for  
every shell has to be perfect. Out  
of every lot of 500 shells produced,  
four are sent to the proving grounds.  
The record of one factory, which is  
typical or practically all those pro-  
ducing shells, is that there have been  
no rejects from the proving grounds.  
Every shell is checked by Govern-  
ment inspectors for inaccuracies of  
any sort, and this factory has a rec-  
ord for the past year of less than .01  
per cent rejected by these inspectors.  
Shell manufacture usually follows  
what is called straight line produc-  
tion. In other words, the rough forg-  
ing starts at one end of the produc-  
tion line, and at the other end, after  
a series of processes, emerges a fin-  
ished product.

The rough forging of a shell to be  
used in a 25 pound field gun, weighs  
20 to 30 pounds mean weight. After  
passing through the various opera-  
tions necessary to turn the forging  
into a finished shell case, the weight  
has been reduced to 20 pounds, 10  
ounces, 5 grams.

### United Church W.M.S. Present Pageant

A pageant, "The Gift Supreme",  
was presented in the United Church  
on Thursday last under the auspices  
of the W.M.S. Those taking part  
were: Herald, Betty McNally, Jap-  
tha's Daughter, Lenore Wright; Han-  
nah, Mrs. C. S. McKennie; Little Sam-  
uel, Virgil Nelson; Esther, Eileen  
Graunke; Handmaiden, Dolly Morris  
and Fern Leggett; Three Magi, Mona  
Gaudetson, Bess Nordstrom, Goldie  
McNally; Daughter of the Church,  
Mrs. McKennie; Speaker for Girls of  
Foreign Lands, Lucile Tory; Reader,  
Mrs. W. A. Washburn; Violin Solo,  
Mrs. Gaudetson; Organist, Mrs. J.  
Telford; Director, Mrs. A. D. Rich-  
ard. The church was filled by an ap-  
preciative crowd.

### Unemployment Insurance

Christmas is coming, and the Xmas  
rush will soon be in full swing. This  
means temporary employment for a  
large number of persons in Canada.

Mr. Wm. Carroll, manager of the  
Edmonton Employment and Claims  
Office, this week explained the appli-  
cation of the Unemployment Insur-  
ance Act to this type of employment.

He said that late registration by  
employees indicated that many did  
not understand the sections of the  
Unemployment Insurance Act relat-  
ing to temporary, casual, and part-  
time employment. Employees taken  
on temporarily for the Christmas  
rush would, he said, come under the  
provisions of the Act.

Employees may be engaged for one  
or two days by a number of firms  
to assist them during the rush peri-  
od. In such cases the temporary em-  
ployees are insurable if they are  
available for work for more than two  
days in the week, regardless of  
whether the employer needs them for  
only the one or two days.

The same rule applies to all tem-  
porary employees. Employees en-  
gaged temporarily employees in in-  
surable occupations, whether the  
employment is for an hour or longer,  
are required to stamp the employee's  
book.

Casual employment is sometimes  
confused with temporary employ-  
ment. In the list of the excepted  
employments item 16 reads "Casual  
employment otherwise than for the  
employer's regular business." This  
applies to an employee hired to do  
work for an employer when the work  
is not in the employer's ordinary line  
of business.

For example, a store keeper may  
hire a carpenter to do work in his  
store-building shelves, putting in  
floor etc. This is not casual em-  
ployment, but temporary, since it is  
considered a part of the employer's  
business, and contributions must be  
made by the employer to the Insur-  
ance Fund.

If, however, the same store keeper  
hired a carpenter on an hour-  
ly basis to build a veranda on his  
home, provided that the time to do  
the work did not exceed ten days,  
the employer would be considered  
casual, and, therefore, not insurable.  
Work of this type which is not part  
of the employer's business is insur-  
able if it takes more than ten days,  
and a stamp is required for each day  
worked.

An erroneous belief also exists that  
part time employment is not insur-  
able, and that contributions are not  
required in respect of such employ-  
ment. These workers—those who  
work wherever they can for as long  
as they can—are those to whom part-  
time employment chiefly applies.

## Grocery Specials

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Molasses Family, No. 6 tin	.39	Mince-meat Happyvale, 2 lb tin	.35
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CHIPSO Giant size, pkt.	.59	FLOUR Royal Household, sack	2.95
SPINACH Libby's, 2 tins	.29	CORN Choice, 3 tins	.25
PLUM JAM Red, 4 lb. tin	.53	Pure LARD Swift's, 3 lbs.	.49
COFFEE Nabob, 1 lb. pkt.	.49	PEAS Prairie Maid, 5 tins	.35
Cake Flour Swansdown, pkt.	.33	COCOA Royal, lb.	.19
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